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5                   UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
6                   WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
7                   AT SEATTLE

8                   In re VALVE CORPORATION

9                   Cause No. MC21-0088RSL

10                  ELECTRONIC SCRIPTING PRODUCTS,  
11                  INC.,

12                  ORDER

13                  Plaintiff,

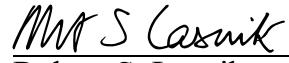
14                  v.

15                  HTC AMERICA INC.,

16                  Defendant.

17                  On July 29, 2021, Valve Corporation filed a motion to quash and for protective order  
18 regarding a third-party deposition and document subpoena issued by the plaintiff in the  
19 underlying matter, Electronic Scripting Products, Inc. (“ESPi”). ESPi opposes the motion to  
20 quash on substantive grounds and requests that this matter be transferred to the Northern District  
21 of California pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 45(f). In light of the contested nature of this proceeding,  
22 the Clerk of Court is directed to assign a civil action number.

23                  Dated this 5th day of August, 2021.

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27                  Robert S. Lasnik  
28                  United States District Judge

29                  ORDER - 1